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In re application of:

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Examiner: G. Tucker

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Group Art Unit 3309

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For: INTRAVASCULAR GUIDE WIRE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURE  
THEREOF

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Dear Sir:

SciMed Life Systems, Inc., the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified patent/application, hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints the following attorneys and/or agents to prosecute the above-identified patent or application, including all continuations and divisionals thereof, and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: David M. Crompton, Reg. No. 36,772; Glenn M. Seager, Reg. No. 36,926; Brian N. Tufte, Reg. No. 38,638; Luke Dohmen, Reg. No. 36,783; Peter J. Gafner, Reg. No. 36,517; Robert E. Atkinson, Reg. No. 36,433; and Todd P. Messal, Reg. No. P42,883.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 3/25/98

By: Peter J. Seager

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I hereby certify that the correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the:

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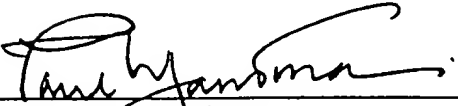
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October 21, 1997  
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On this 21st day of October, 1997 before me personally appeared Paul W. Sandman to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

  
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